

interface provides an interface between the web server and the agent, and the web server interface causes that web server to redirect web page requests.

27. (New) A method for distributing browser web page requests among two or more web servers, comprising:

monitoring the web page request queue length of the web servers to determine if a predetermined condition exists at one or more of the web servers; and

if the predetermined condition does exist at one of the web servers, redirecting by that web server at least one browser request from that web server to another one of the web servers such that the browser requests the web page from the another one of the web servers.

28. (New) The method of claim 27 wherein the predetermined condition comprises a web page request queue length greater than a predetermined value.

29. (New) A method for distributing browser web page requests among two or more web servers, comprising:

monitoring the web page request queue delay of the web servers to determine if a predetermined condition exists at one or more of the web servers; and

if the predetermined condition does exist at one of the web servers, redirecting by that web server at least one browser request from that web server to another one of the web servers such that the browser requests the web page from the another one of the web servers.

30. (New) The method of claim 29 wherein the predetermined condition comprises a web page request queue delay greater than a predetermined value.

31. (New) A system for distributing browser requests for web pages, comprising:

a central manager for monitoring web servers to determine if a predetermined condition exists at one or more of the web servers;

a web server capable of redirecting at least one browser request from the web server to another of the web servers, such that the browser requests the web page from the another one of the web servers, if the predetermined condition does exist at one or more of the web servers; and

an agent in communication with the central manager, wherein the agent communicates the status of the web server to the manager.